

# Senate Study Bill 3277

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BILL BY CO=CHAIRPERSONS  
GRONSTAL AND LUNDBY)

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## A BILL FOR

1 An Act providing for participation in an instructional support  
2 program by school districts, and providing for an effective  
3 date.  
4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:  
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1 1 Section 1. PARTICIPATION IN AN INSTRUCTIONAL SUPPORT  
1 2 PROGRAM BY SCHOOL DISTRICTS == SUSPENSION OF REQUIREMENTS.  
1 3 Notwithstanding any contrary provision in chapter 257,  
1 4 including sections 257.18 through 257.21, a school district  
1 5 that has participated in a board=approved instructional  
1 6 support program during the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2005,  
1 7 and ending June 30, 2006, may continue to participate in the  
1 8 board=approved instructional support program for the fiscal  
1 9 year beginning July 1, 2006, and ending June 30, 2007, to the  
1 10 extent established by the board's resolution, as if it had  
1 11 complied with those sections, if all of the following apply:  
1 12 1. The board of directors of the school district has  
1 13 adopted or adopts a resolution not later than May 15, 2006, to  
1 14 participate in the board=approved instructional support  
1 15 program as otherwise provided in section 257.18. If the board  
1 16 of directors has adopted a budget which did not account for  
1 17 the board=approved instructional support program, the board of  
1 18 directors may adjust its budget to account for the  
1 19 board=approved instructional support program as approved by  
1 20 the department of management.  
1 21 2. The secretary of the board of directors does not  
1 22 receive a petition as authorized in section 257.18, subsection  
1 23 2, within twenty=eight days following the adoption of the  
1 24 resolution by the board of directors of the school district to  
1 25 participate in the board=approved instructional support  
1 26 program as provided in subsection 1, which asks that an  
1 27 election be called to approve or disapprove the action of the  
1 28 board of directors in adopting the resolution.  
1 29 Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Act, being deemed of  
1 30 immediate importance, takes effect upon enactment.

### EXPLANATION

1 32 This bill provides a school district which has participated  
1 33 in an instructional support program approved by its board of  
1 34 directors during the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2005, and  
1 35 ending June 30, 2006, may continue to participate in the  
2 1 board=approved instructional support program for the fiscal  
2 2 year beginning July 1, 2006, and ending June 30, 2007,  
2 3 notwithstanding that its board of directors failed to adopt a  
2 4 resolution to participate in the board=approved instructional  
2 5 support program as otherwise required in Code section 257.18.  
2 6 Under the bill, the board of directors must comply with two  
2 7 requirements. First, the board must have adopted or must  
2 8 adopt the resolution not later than May 15, 2006. The board  
2 9 may adjust its budget to account for the board=approved  
2 10 instructional support program as approved by the department of  
2 11 management. Secondly, the board's secretary cannot have  
2 12 received a petition as authorized in Code section 257.18  
2 13 asking that an election be called to approve or disapprove the  
2 14 action of the board in adopting the resolution, within 28 days

2 15 following the adoption of the board's resolution.  
2 16 The bill takes effect upon enactment.  
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